

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:

media processing circuitry adapted to provide media processing functionality in the apparatus;

a connector adapted to establish a communication link between the apparatus and a mobile telecommunications terminal; and

accessory interface circuitry adapted to transfer a message to the mobile telecommunications terminal via the connector, said message comprising a specification of at least a part of the media processing functionality provided by the media processing circuitry included in the apparatus,

wherein the apparatus is adapted to transfer a message to the mobile communications terminal comprising a command to the mobile communications terminal to disable the specified processing functionality in a second media processing circuitry, the second media processing circuitry located in the mobile telecommunications terminal, and

wherein the apparatus is configured to receive media data forwarded from the mobile telecommunications terminal for processing by the media processing circuitry of the apparatus due to the disabling of the second media processing circuitry of the mobile telecommunications terminal.

2. (Canceled).

3. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the accessory interface circuitry is adapted to receive a request, from the mobile telecommunications terminal, for a transfer of the message before transferring the message to the mobile communications terminal.

4. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 1, comprising media transferring circuitry for transferring the media data between the apparatus and the mobile telecommunications terminal.

5. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 4, wherein the media transferring circuitry is adapted to transfer audio data, video data or image data.

6. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the media processing circuitry is adapted to perform an echo-canceling algorithm.

7. (Previously Presented) An apparatus according to claim 1, wherein the media processing circuitry is adapted to perform a frequency equalizing algorithm.

8. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

coupling an accessory device with media processing capabilities to a mobile telecommunications terminal;

transferring a message from the accessory device to the mobile telecommunications terminal via said coupling, said message comprising a specification of at least a part of a media processing functionality provided by the accessory device,

wherein the message comprises a command to the mobile communications terminal to disable the specified processing functionality in ~~the~~ media processing circuitry in the mobile telecommunications terminal, and

wherein the accessory device is configured to receive media data forwarded from the mobile telecommunications terminal for processing by media processing circuitry of the accessory device due to the disabling of the specified processing functionality in the media processing circuitry of the mobile telecommunications terminal.

9. (Canceled)

10. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 8, wherein ~~the~~ accessory interface circuitry receives a request, from the mobile telecommunications terminal, for a transfer of the message before transferring the message to the mobile communications terminal.

11. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim 8, wherein the accessory device transfers the media data which is processed in the accessory device in accordance with the specified processing functionality.

12. (Currently Amended) A method according to claim ~~8~~11, wherein the transferred media is audio data, video data or image data.

13. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 8, wherein the media processing in the accessory device comprises an echo-canceling algorithm.

14. (Previously Presented) A method according to claim 8, wherein the media processing in the accessory device comprises a frequency equalizing algorithm.

15. (Currently Amended) An apparatus comprising:
media processing circuitry;
a processor; and
a memory having stored therein instructions that, when executed, cause the apparatus to perform:

establishing a communication link with a mobile terminal;
transferring a message to the mobile terminal, said message comprising a specification of at least a part of a media processing functionality provided by the apparatus; and
transferring a second message to the mobile terminal comprising a command to the mobile terminal to disable the specified processing functionality in the mobile terminal, wherein the apparatus is configured to receive media data forwarded from the mobile terminal for processing by the media processing circuitry of the apparatus due to the disabling of the specified processing functionality of second media processing circuitry of the mobile terminal.

16. (Currently Amended) The apparatus of claim 15, wherein the instructions further include at least one instruction that, when executed, cause the apparatus to perform:
transferring the media data between the apparatus and the mobile terminal.